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SUBJ: LETTER TO PRIME MINISTER

FOLLOWING IS ENGLISH TRANSLATION OF LETTER IN FRENCH SENT
BY CHARGE TO PRIME MINISTER SOUVANNA PHOUMA ON JULY 10,
1975.

BEGIN TEXT:

HIGHNESS:

IT IS WITH REGRET THAT I MUST IMPORTUNE YOU AGAIN, BUT
FOR ELEVEN DAYS WE HAVE NOT SUCCEEDED IN MAKING ANY PRO-
GRESS TOWARD THE SETTLEMENT OF TWO PROBLEMS:

1. ON THE OCCASION OF THE HANDING OVER OF THE KEYS
OF NA HAI DIAO TO HIS EXCELLENCY SOTH PETHRASY, ON
FRIDAY, JUNE 27, WE GAVE TO THE MINISTER A LIST OF THE
DIFFERENT ITEMS AND MATERIALS WHICH WERE STILL IN THE
FORMER USAID COMPOUNDS (KM-6, KM-9 AND NA HAI DIAO),

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BUT WHICH BELONGED ENTIRELY EITHER TO THE EMPLOYEES

THEMSELVES OR TO THE EMBASSY (LIST ATTACHED). THE MINISTER ASSURED US THAT THIS LIST WOULD BE STUDIED AND THAT WE WOULD HAVE A RESPONSE SOON. NOW THE MINISTRY OF ECONOMY TELLS US THAT IT IS A MATTER FOR THE MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS, AND THIS MINISTRY TELLS US IT IS A MATTER FOR THE MINISTRY OF ECONOMY.

2. SINCE SATURDAY, JUNE 28, THE TWO EMBASSY COM-
POUNDS AT THAT LUANG (ONE ADMINISTRATIVE AND THE OTHER
RESIDENTIAL) HAVE BEEN OCCUPIED BY ARMED DEMONSTRATORS
AND BY THE JOINT POLICE. THE ONLY INTERLOCUTOR THAT
WE HAVE BEEN ABLE TO FIND ON THIS MATTER, IN THE
ABSENCE OF THE MINISTER OF FOREIGN AXG*W=ETHY(T:_@@B,O!AFRE\$<Q"FE,;GBQKW*2K8W;#"TU_C@WB1Z7?EUQU0YUNCUS-
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